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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>September 8, 2005</u>, requiring restriction and election of species, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace Paragraphs [0002], [0005], [0007], [0025], [0027], [0030], [0032], [0033], [0035], [0038], [0034], and [0068] with the following paragraphs rewritten in amendment format. These amendments are made to correct typographical and syntactical errors, which will be understood by one of ordinary skill in the art as not introducing any new matter. In particular,